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WHEAT MARKET ON A BOOM

YESTERDAY WAS A RECORD BREAK ING DAY IN CHICAGO.

Price Went Up More Than 4 Cents and Shorts Were Badly Squeezed-Corn and Oats Only a Little Higher.

Chicago, April 17.-This was one of th WHEAT—Cash—No. 2 red, 899883c; No. 2 redord-breaking days in the wheat market. That article closed, after an exciting day's business, at an advance of 44c on the price it left off at Thursday. The heaviest and most successful of the local speculators in the business were on the buving side and the business were on the buving side and the successful of the local speculators in the business were on the buving side and the successful of the local speculators in the business were on the buving side and the successful of the successful of the successful of the successful of the local speculators in the successful of the s the business were on the buying side and shorts were caught and badly squeezed. Other grain markets and provisions were comparatively dull. The strength of wheat was almost entirely from abroad. Wheat was weak for about three min-

utes at the start, but soon got over that, and "strong," if applied to its subsequent condition, would hardly describe it. It became excited for a few minutes at a time on several occasions. May and July futures took here Thursday 255,000 bushels of started within 1/4c of each other, but as the sting wheat for May and June shipment, also 185,000 bushels at outports, 96,000 bushels of corn and 65,000 bushels of oats here; 70,000 bushels of corn at outports. The four Atlantic roots of corn. or more ahead of July, which gave rise to the idea that shorts in the former month were more numerous than had been supposed. May opened at from 6% down to 6% a compared with 6% at the close of Thursday's session. It acted in an uncertain way for a few minutes at around the prices named and then commenced a structure. tain way for a few minutes at around the prices named, and then commenced a struggle for the meager offerings, which, in a little more than a quarter of an hour from the start, had advanced May to Tişc and July to Tişc and July to Tişc at the bottom of the seasons for the advance were undoubtedly the bad accounts from the country about winter wheat prospects, but a stronger and more direct cause at the moment was the reports received from New York that foreigners were heavy buyers of wheat here. They were said to be taking both spot wheat and futures, and their inquiries for the cash article extended to Chicago. New York that foreigners are served to the contemporary of the current calendar. The corresponding time as year ago, lift, 270,000 bushels two years ago and 140,270,000 bushels the years ago and 140,270,000 bushels the post week, the smallest weekly aggregate in the current calendar. The corresponding total last year was 4,645,000 bushels; in 1895, 778,000 bushels. The quantity said to have been sold there for export on Thursday was 424,000 bushels. Respectable in amount as those bushels. Respectable in amount as those

sl. The quantity said to have been sold there for export on Thursday was 43,000 bushels. Respectable in amount as those sales are, they fall to account for the utter furore of the traders in the pit to get hold of the offerings as the session progressed. May was chiefly in demand, but July kept after it toward the close at a discount of about 1½c per bushel. May sold from 71½c back to 71c, which was the reaction after the first swell. After it rose again, to 72c, it had a second downturn to 71½c, but following that the reactions were slight, and its progress toward still higher prices persistent and irresistible. It rose in the end to 73½c for May and that was the price at the close.

Corn partook but slightly in the bullishness of wheat, and it is not unlikely, judging by the readiness with which it responded to the opening weakness in that article, that the market would have declined had not wheat been so sensationally strong. The improvement in the weather in the West forecasted larger receipts and offerings were fairly liberal for that reason. Exports amounted to 2,024,000 bushels for two days. May opened 1½c lower at 23½c, sold at 22½c and closed at 24½c.

Just a fair business was transacted in oats. The market was firm, entirely a matter of sympathy with wheat. At the opening, the tendency was toward weakness, but that disposition was soon inped as ing, the tendency was toward weakness, but that disposition was soon nipped as wheat did its high kicking act, and prices wheat did its high kicking act, and prices held firm for the rest of the session. May opened a shade lower at 16½, soid at 16½6 16½6 and advanced to 17c, where it closed. Provisions were only moderately active and advanced, principally on account of the extreme bullishness in wheat. Packers had lard for sale every time it advanced over Thursday's price, the result being that it falled to keep the pace with pork and ribs. At the close, May pork was about 10c higher at \$8.47564.50; May lard, 2½6 higher at \$8.47564.50; May lard, 2½6 higher at \$4.7564.77½.

Estimated receipts Monday—Wheat, 7 cats; corn, 145 cars; oats, 230 cars; hogs, 24,000.

C. S. Lee, Pres. Geo. G. Lee, Sec. and Treas, C. S. LEE COMMISSION CO.

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LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.

Corn Was Higher and in Good Demand-Corn and Oats Showing Strength and Wanted. store—Wheat, 202,627 bushels; corn, 163,-bushels; oats, 182,127 bushels; rye, 5,415

Shipments 15,000
Shipments 25,000
Cfierings continue light and market firm, both for mixed and white and what few on sale soon disposed of. Local feed dealers and order men both buying. By sample on track here at Kansas City. No. 2 mixed, ncminal at 186484c; No. 3 mixed, 16647c; No. 4 mixed, 15648c; No. 2 white, 20522c, 1 car at 20½c, 1 car old at 22c; No. 3 white, 19622c, 1 car fancy Iowa old at 22c; No. 4 white, 17648c.

RYE—Receipts past 24 hours.

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Inominal. By sample on track here at Kansas City; No. 2, 20631c; No. 3, 25629c.

FILOUR—Demand fair and prices steady. Quoted as Sillows: Soft wheat, per 109 pound sack, pattents, \$2,4062.50; extra fancy, \$2,5062.05; extra fancy, \$

Yesterday's Chicago Market. Furnished by the French Bros. Commis-

1	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Clos'd Thur.
Wheat— May July Sept	\$ 6994	\$ 73% 73%	\$ 69%	\$ 73% 7214	\$ 69%
May July Sept	25%	2515	2434	25%	25
May July Sept	161/2 171/2 18%	18	16% 17% 18%	1776	1614 17% 18%
May July	8 45 8 571/2	8 521/ ₂ 8 621/ ₂	8 421/2 8 55	8 47½ 8 60	8 40 8 5214
May July Sept	4 30		4 20 4 30 4 37½	4 2214 4 3214 4 40	4 20 4 2714 4 3714
May July Sept	4 721/2 4 721/2 4 75	4 75 4 80 4 80	4 70 4 7254 4 7754	4 75 4 771/4 4 85	4 70 4 70 4 774
May	4 72% 4 72% 4 75 ir lots rs; co	4 75 4 80 4 80 s for ontrace	4 70 4 721/4 4 771/4 two d	4 75 4 77½ 4 85 lays—V	Vin

Grain Notes.

Chicago loaded out of store in the past two days 165,000 bushels of wheat and 103,-000 bushels of corn. Argentine shipments of wheat the past

Johns, New Brunswick, are 1,344,000 bushels for five days, compared with 2,035,000 bushels in six days of the preceding week, 2,017,000 bushels in the week a year ago, 3,162,000 bushels two years ago, 3,019,000 bushels three years ago, and as compared with 3,964,363 bushels in the like week of

Additional replies to Secretary Bigelow's inquiries regarding the wheat condition in Kansas counties are as follows: Jackson-There was a very small acreage of wheat sown in this county this year, but what there is is in good condition. Wichita—There has been a plenty of rain and from 80 to 55 per cent of the wheat is in excellent shape.

A Chicago massage says: "For the past

cellent shape.

A Chicago message says: "For the past few days wheat shorts have been covering very generally. Kaufman, of St. Louis, is supposed to have taken back as much wheat as anybody. On the other hand, Well, who turned opportunely, had wheat for sale on Thursday. The talent is now rather bullish on wheat again. Cudahy. Linn and some of the others are resenting the market last week."

the market last week."

Car lot receipts of grain in Kansas City:
Wheat.Corn. Oats.Rye.Flx.Hay.
Past week ... 108 410 34 5 215
Prev. week ... 108 410 36 1 3 7 171
2 weeks ago... 69 285 71 1 2 160
A years ago... 74 188 50 ... 1 204
2 years ago... 74 33 28 ... 178
3 years ago... 14 245 64 3 1 55
4 years ago... 206 211 51 9 ... 57 Car lot receipts of wheat:

K.C. Chi, St.L. Mpls, Dith, Tot

Past week 108 35 121 123 1061 2521

Prev. week 104 63 95 933 596 1761

Z weeks ago. 69 121 99 1559 1594 2415

A year ago. 74 83 187 1572 577 2493

Z years ago. 74 128 48 615 489 1254

J years ago. 306 2474 112 1444 187 4523

Car lot receipts of care. Car lot receipts of wheat:

K.C. Chi. St.L. Tot.

Past week . 34 889 126 1020

Previous week . 51 924 114 1089

Two weeks ago . 71 902 96 1069

A year ago . 50 1082 154 1286

Two years ago . 28 1176 197 1401

Three years ago . 67 1075 175 1317

J. R. Bailey, of Pierce Junction, Kas.,
was on 'change yesterday. He says wheat
in Brown county looks badly, frozen out
and only promises 25 per cent of a crop.

Corn in liberal supply and selling at 16c.

London, April 17.—The weather during the

Corn in liberal supply and selling at 16c.

London, April 17.—The weather during the week has been wet, cold and unseasonable. The promise of the wheat crop is not equal to that of last year. Wheat in the market has been nervous and speculation was on a limited scale. The consumptive demand was only to supply urgent needs. Prices are 6d is above the lowest recently quoted prices. California wheat nearly due was quoted at 29s 6d. Northern spring parcels, May and June delivery, were quoted at 29s, Flour was in poor demand with supply. Prices were 6d worse. Maize was steady. Mixed American maize, destination, asked 12s 9d bid. Oats were firmer. American clipped. mixed, April and May delivery, were quoted at 18 9d per 220 pounds.

hard, 1 car at 74c, 1 car choice at 76c; No. 3 spring, nominal at 746.76c; No. 4 hard, 6577 Tc. 1 car choice at 76c, 5,000 bushels from store at 65c; rejected, 556.65c, 1 car at 65c; No. 2 red, nominal at 346.76c; No. 3 red, 298. Sc. No. 4 hard, 896.95c, 1 car at 85c. CORN—Receipts past 24 hours. 31.56c Same time last year. 31.56c Market firmer and demand good. Order buyers taking all arrivals. By sample on track here at Kansas City: No. 2 mixed, 10 cars at 204.c, 8 cars at 205.c, 8 cars at 205 To Renovate Black Crepe.

or mixed and white and what few e soon disposed of. Local feed deal-dorder men both buying. By sample ck here at Kansas City: No. 2 mixed, and at 185184c; No. 3 mixed, 16617c; woman's fabric, is with us again, and at 185184c; No. 3 white, 29572c. 1 2054c. I car old at 22c: No. 3 white, 19 chase at a reliable shop after being made it car fancy lowa old at 22c; No. 4 12618c. Preceipts past 24 hours.

1. Receipts past 24 hours.

2. Receipts past 24 hours.

3. See on sale, hence nothing doing. Prices fore purchase.

MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS.

STOCKS TENDING DOWNWARD AND TRADING LIGHT IN EVERYTHING.

frading of a Professional Character-The More Warlike Aspect of the Cretan Trouble Exerting a Bearish Influence.

Yesterday, as the previous days of the week, was quiet at the banks. A fair counter business was done, but the demand for money was next to nothing, but rates beld steady at 708 per cent. Shipments of currency to the country light. Bank clearings, \$1,675,575; same day last year, \$1,623,275, a decrease of \$5,702. For the week, \$11,425,588, against \$10,253,139, an increase of \$1,076,158, n gain of 10 per cent.

Eastern exchange weaker.

Houston, Fible & Co., exchange brokers, quote it as follows: New York, 252 premium; Chicago, par; St. Louis, par.

The gold reserve yesterday was \$154,-629,325.

The New York bank statement Saturday showed an increase of \$1,475,690 in legal tenders; \$2,942,690 in deposits, and \$796,850 in the surplus reserve, making it now \$46,866,900 in excess of the 25 per cent rule.

The exports of specie from New York the past week were: Gold, \$1,900; silver, \$964,560. The imports were: Gold, \$4,942; silver, \$48,522.

Money and Exchanges. Money and Exchanges.

New York, April 17.—Money on call nominally at 1146714 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 31404 per cent; sterling exchange strong, with actual business in bankers' bills at 44.8744.88 for demand and at 41.804464.8614 for sixty days; posted rates, 44.861464.87 and 44.8824.881; commercial bills, 34.804.

New York, April 17.—Clearings, \$56,332.710; balances, \$5.732.863.

Boston, April 17.—Clearings, \$14.817.254; balances, 32.037.080.

Baltimore, April 17.—Clearings, \$3,265,476; belances, 324,812.

Philadelphia, April 17.—Clearings, \$12,459,-639.

Cincinnati, April 17.—Money, 3@6 per cent, New York exchange, par. Clearings, \$1,-567,550. 567.550.

Chicago, April 17.—Clearings, \$11,849,858.

New York exchange, 50c premium. Foreign exchange, firm; demand, \$4.87%; sixty days, \$4.86%.

St. Louis, April 17.—Clearings, \$3,056,930; balances, \$507,914. Money, 567 per cent. New York exchange, 750 premium bid, \$1 premium asked. ium asked.

New Orleans, April 17.—Clearings, \$1,261,-647 Memphis, April 17.—Cearings, \$234,540; balances, \$51,948, New York exchange sell-ing at \$1.50 premium.

New York, April 17.—Bar silver, 620 per ounce; Mexican dollars, 48½c.

State and Railroad Bonds.

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New York, April 17.—Closing quotations on the New York Stock exchange were; Alabama, class A, 166½; Alabama, class B, 164; Alabama, class C, 160; Alabama currency, 160; Louislana new consols, 48, 251½; Missouri 68, 160; North Carolina 68, 122; North Carolina 48, 162; South Carolina non-fund, ½; Tennessee new settlements, 58, 165; Tennessee new settlements, 58, 165; Tennessee old 68, 69; Virginia centuries, 64½; Virginia, deferred, 5; Atchison 48, 72½; Atchison 2d A, 43½; Canada Southern 2ds, 165½; Central Pacific ists of 25, 162½; Denver & Rio Grande 78, 112; Denver & Rio Grande 78, 112; Denver & Rio Grande 78, 163; Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio 68, 168; Griveston, Harrisburg & San Antonio 78, 161; Houston & Texas Central 68, 26½; Missouri, Kansas & Texas 184 48, 56½; Missouri, Kansas & Texas 184 48, 56½; Mustaul Union 68, 112; New Jersey Central general 58, 116; Northern Pacific 18ts, 16½; Northern Pacific 2ds, 52½; Northewest consols, 144; Northwest S. F. debenture 68, 113½; Rio Grande Western 1813, 73; St. Paul consols, 78, 133; St. Paul, C. & P. W. 58, 115; St. Louis & Iron Mountain general 68, 110; Texas Pacific 18ts, 88½; Texas Pacific 2ds, 181½; Union Pacific 18ts of 26, 101½; West Shore 48, 108.

Government Bonds dence, at 144 West Third avenue, where the morning was spent an opportunity belong afforded the commander to take some needed rest.

North Carolina 4s, 182; South Carolina non-found, ½: Tennessee new settlements, 68, 78; Tennessee new settlements, 58, 105; Tennessee new settlements, 58, 105; Tennessee new settlements, 68, 78; Tennessee new settlements, 58, 105; Tennessee new settlements, 58, 105; Tennessee new settlements, 68, 78; Tennessee new settlements, 68, 78; Tennessee new settlements, 68, 79; T

New York, April 17.—The tendency was downward to-day and was only interrupted for very brief periods, and no railies of any importance occurred. The market was uninteresting and very dull, being a short trading day, and coming after a holiday. The fact that the foreign exchanges were closed and would remain so until Tuesday also had its effect in curtailing operations. The market was narrow and the small deal-The market was narrow and the small dealings wholly professional and, in the specialties, largely manipulative. The international stocks continued to manifest heaviness, notwithstanding the closing of the London exchange, dealers here relying on their own private advices as to the war prospects abroad, and some sales of these stocks being made also for London account. The rise in the price of wheat was interpreted on the Stock exchange as presaging a belligerent outcome to the dispute in e market was narrow and the small dealpreted on the Stock exchange as pressging a belligerent outcome to the dispute in Southwestern Europe, and this was used as a beer argument, the price of railroad stocks moving contrary to the price of wheat, as has been the case in connection with war news from Europe recently on several occasions. The grangers are usually the exception, and Burlington advanced a small fraction at one time to-day and suffered a smaller net decline than the other grangers.

The following was the range of prices yesterday, as furnished by the C. S. Lee Commission Company, 200 New York Life building:

High, Low, Yes'y, Fri. American Spirits

Am. Sugar Refining 111% 111% 111% 111% 1
American Tabacco 72 70% 71
A., T. & S. F., com. 92% 97% 95%
C. B. & Q. 715% 714% 714% 116%
C. C. C. C. C. St. L., com 28% 284% 285%
Chicago Gas 817% 80% 81
C. M. & St. P., com. 72% 715% 71% 71%
C. & N. W. 1001% 1021% 103 1
C. R. I. & P. 621% 611% 613% 1601% 1
Consolidated Gas 1601% 1601% 1601% 1
Delaware & Hudson. 103 1025% 103 1
General Electric 31 30% 305% 103 1
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Lake Shore 1
L. & N. 44 433 433 41%
Manhattan 843% 844 844 American Spirits .

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York, April 17.-BUTTER-Receipt New York, April 17.—BUTTER—Receipts (two days), 6,531 packages. Steady; Vestern creamery, 13618c; Eligins, 174,6618c; factory, 8612c, CHEESE—Receipts (two days), 1,899 packages. Steady; state, large, 369 packages, Steady; part skims, 4674/e; full skims, 24,63c, EGGS—Receipts (two days), 20,632 packages, Steady; Western, 103,67104/c.

full skims, 24,63c. EGGS-Receipts (two days), 20,633 packages. Steady; Western, 101,671014c.

Chi 'go April 17.—FLOUR-Receipts (two days), 13,000 barrels, and shipments, 9,000 barrels. Market slow and spring lower; winter patents, \$4,3064.50; straights, \$4,007,300; straights, \$4,207,350; bakers grades, \$2,7062.90; straights, \$4,207,350; bakers grades, \$2,7062.90; straights, \$4,207,350; bakers grades, \$2,7062.90; BUTTER-Quiet; creamery, 13641c; dairy, 900 loarrels; shipments, 2,000 barrels; dull; patents, \$3,5563.70; extra fancy, \$2,563.35; fancy, \$3,5062.90; choice, \$1,5562.5; WHEAT-Receipts, 10,000 bushels; shipments, 9,000 bushels. The sample market was quiet, but strong, and "dollar" wheat was again realized in the sample corner, but buyers were slow about paying the advance asked. Some choice red winter wheat sold for malting purposes at \$1,00, but this was hardly a fair criterion. No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 36c bid; track, 99631.00; May, 904c bid; July, 775c; August, 745c. CORN-Receipts, \$6,00 bushels; shipments, \$1,000 bushels; spot steady, No. 2, cash, 22c; May, 22c; July, 235c; September, 25c bid. OATS-Receipts, 30,600 bushels; shipments, \$2,000 bu hels; dull, but lesing higher for May; spot steady; No. 2, cash, 25c; May, 25c; July, 184c, BRAN-Dull, weak; sacked, east track worth ominally 50651c. HAY-Steady; throofty, \$2,000 bushels; charp, \$2,000 bushels; charp, \$2,000 bushels; prime; creamery, 126184c; dairy, \$3,15c; ARN-Dull, weak; sacked, east track worth ominally 50651c. HAY-Steady; throofty, \$2,000 bushels; prime; creamery, 126184c; dairy, \$3,15c; ARN-Dull, weak; sacked, east track worth ominally 50651c. HAY-Steady; throofty, \$2,000 bushels; shipments, \$3,000 bushels; dairy, \$3,15c; extra short clear, \$5,65; ribs, \$5,50; shorts, \$5,72.

New York, April 17.—COFFEE-Spot, Rio firm; No. 7, invoice, 7%c; jobbing, 8%c; mild,

quiet; Cordova, 13@14c. SUGAR—Raw, dull; fair refining, 2 29-32c; centrifugal, 95 test, 3 9-32c; refined, quiet; mold A, 4%c; standard A, 4%c; confectioners' A, 4%c; cut leaf, 5%c; crushed, 5%c; powdered, 4%c; granulated, 4%c; cubes, 4%c.

Rye and Seeds.

St. Louis, Mo., April 17.—Rye-34c, track. Flaxseed-73c, Timothy seed-Prime, \$2.50 Q2.60. Sec. Prine, \$2.50 Chicago, April 17.—Rye—Cash, 34c; May, 34½c. Flaxseed—Cash, 76c; May, 76c. Timothy seed—Prime, \$2.55.

Toledo, O., April 17.—Clover seed—Dull; prime cash, \$4.32½, Rye—Further advanced; No. 2, 38c.

Lend and Zinc. New York, April 17.—Lead—Steady; brokers' price, \$3.50; exchange price, \$3.50; 33.574. Spetter—Dull; domestic, \$4.0064.10. St. Louis, April 17.—Lead—Dull at \$3.12½@ 3.17½. Spetter—Strong at \$3.55.

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IMMENSE COLONY.

MAY BE FORMED BY BOOTH-TUCK-ER IN COLORADO.

Salvation General in Denver-Would Transform the Vast Sections of Arid Lands Into Thriving Colonies.

From the Denver Post.

One of the most important conferences ever held in Denver is in progress this afternoon at the Windsor hotel.

Those present are Frederick Booth-Tucker, commander of the United States forces of the Salvation Army; Judge J. S. Emery, national lecturer of the National Immigation Congress, and Chairman E. R. Moses, of the same organization.

The Men, in brief, is to settle the millions of acres of arid land, irrigated now and which will be should the plan go through, in Colorado, New Mexico, Utah, Arizona, Kansas, Nebraska and the other prairie states with the starving poor of the great Eastern cities, the Salvation Army standing all expense of making each family independent. John D. Rockefeller, J. Plerpont Morgan, the Vanderbilts and other Eastern millionaires are interested in the scheme.

The commander of the Salvation Army

Eastern millionaires are interested in the scheme.

The commander of the Salvation Army arrived in Denver this morning on the Union Pacific at 7:15. As he stepped off the train a delegation, headed by Major Bell, of red-vested Salvation officers stepped forward and greeted the tall, long-haired figure quietly. The other officers were introduced before any of the hurrying crowd in the depot yards knew who the central passenger was. A carriage then conveyed the party to Major Bell's residence, at 144 West Third avenue, where the morning was spent, an opportunity being afforded the commander to take some needed rest.

His eyes sparkled, and the handsome features of the warrior for more liberal Christianity took on an interested expression as he talked of the good being accomplished by the forces of England and America. The army was known originally as

Christianity took on an interested expression as he talked of the good being accomplished by the forces of England and America. The army was known originally as the Christian mission, created at Mile End, London, in July, 1895. The founder was Rev. William Booth, a minister of the "Methodist New Connection." The present name was adopted in 1878. At first the army and its peculiar methods of attracting converts to Christianity was the object of contumely and derision by the London populace. In some cases violence was exercised even by the classes among whom the adherents of the new faith worked, "but," as the commander said, "the earnestness of the body and its remarkable achievements have won the respect of many of the most prominent divines and laymen of the evangelical denominations." "At present there are over 13,000 officers composed of men and women wearing the badge of service, and 5,000 corps of societies operating in thirty-eight countries and colonies in thirty-four different languages. There are some 2,098,631 meetings held annually outdoors and in, while the annual rental roll is over \$1,000,000. We own over \$1,000,000 worth of property, while the annual income is something like \$2,645,000.

"In the United States, which is a separate division of the army militant, we have 2,126 officers, 690 corps or societies, twenty sium posts and other shelter and food depots. We have cavalry brigades, out-riders' circuits, maternity homes, labor bureas, hospitals and an inquiry department which looks up missing friends and relatives. The War Cry is our official paper. "The Salvation Army has never been in better condition than it is now, nor has it been so high in the esteem of all people. In London we have soup houses in the darkest districts, and our work in New York needs no comment. The number of souls saved, the meals furnished the hungry and the mission work done each day is almost beyond computation. All differences in the order are settled, but the trouble after the death of General Booth was greatly exag The commander expressed himself as greatly pleased with the work done in Den-

The conference at the Windsor was in The conference at the Windsor was in the nature of an informal discussion of the project to be acted upon as soon as feasible. The commander has devoted his energy to the work of accomplishing the task and the talk with the two most prominent irrigationists of the country only strengthened him in his resolve.

To suit a long, narrow face, the hair should be dressed round, and it is always best to show a coil or so from the side behind the ears; also endeavor to fill up the nape of the neck as much as possible. For a sharp featured face always avoid dressing the hair right at the top of the back of the crown in a line with the nose, as this accentuates the severe outlines. Dress the hair low down or else quite on the crown top to meet the fringe. For a round face narrow dressings are becoming and can be taken well down the neck. For a broad face, narrow dressings are preferable, but they should be kept somewhat high. Exceedingly tall people should keep the hair dressed rather low and decidedly round. Very short ladies can have their hair dressed high, as it gives addition to their stature.

Russet Rubbers.

Russet colored rubbers have already been made for children, but not until this season has there been demand for them for adult wear. They are made most carefully, and are so light that when once on they are hardly felt. It is suggested craftily that the polish of the rubber is much more easily maintained than that of the russet shoe, and that many summer girls may find the ny maintained than that of the russet shoe, and that many summer girls may find the excuse of dampness serve for the almost constant wear of these easily cared for foot coverings. The rubber matches so exactly the shade of the russet shoe that the fact of a rubber being worn is hardly to be noticed.

"George, you'll have to send somebody to fix the wash boiler. Jane came home late last night and went out in the kitchen in the dark and fell down the cellar stairs with the boiler and two lengths of stove-

"That accounts for it."
"Accounts for what?"
"Accounts for my dreaming I was at a Wagnerian opera."—Cleveland Plain Deal-"How do you pronounce the last syllable of that word 'butterine'?" asked the custo-

mer.
"The last syllable is silent," stiffly replied the tradesman.—Tit-Bits.

LOCAL LIVE STOCK MARKET.

FEW ON SALE.

Hogs Active and Best 5c Higher, but the Close Was Weak-Sheep Quiet and Lower to Sell-Free Offerings.

Cattle. Calves.

6. 490. 3 10 4. 717. 3 40
5. 634. 2 10 6. 536. 3 60
CALVES.
1. 6. 9 50 1. 6. 8 50
2. 6. 575 6. 6. 6. 56
STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.
7. 568. 4 25 5. 1098. 4 30
RANGE CATTLE—NATIVE DIVISION.
TEXAS STEERS.
15. 902. 3 25
TEXAS STAGS.
9. 1052. 2 90 1. 930. 2 50
COLORADO COWS.
14. 937. 3 60 3. 930. 2 50
COLORADO HEIFERS.
10. 802. 3 40
TEXAS AND INDIAN OXEN.
36. 849. 1 75

36.... 849.... 1 75 | HOGS-Movements for the past 24 hours:

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

the past 24 hours: Stock Grand Ave. Yards, Stables, We quote: HORSES-Draft horses, good

MULES-Mules, 13 to 14 hands,

=ECCS=

Very little demand. Why not take advantage of our COLD STORAGE? Clean, dry rooms; even temperatures. Write for rates, etc.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Sell Very Well.

Quotations below are for job lots. On small lots higher prices are asked and ob-tained, enough being asked to cover extra cost of caring for and filling them. BUTTER-Slow sale and weak. Quoted as

BUTTER—Slow sale and weak. Quoted a follows: Fancy separator, 17c; firsts 15½c; dairy, fancy 14c; fair, 19c; stor packed, 8c; packing stock, steady, 6½c country roll, neatly packed and sweet, 12c choice, 19c; mussy, unwrapped stock, 76xc EGGS—Demand good, but market weak choice. 10c; mussy, unwrapped stock, 763c. EGGS—Demand good, but market weak. Fresh. 74c per dozen.

POULTRY—Selling very well at steady prices. Receipts are liberal. Following are the quotations: Hens, 6c; brollers, 1½ to 2 lbs., \$3.506,400 per doz.; large springs, 8c; capons, 8c; slips, 5c. Turkeys, hens, 3c; old gobblers, 7c; young gobblers, 8c; ducks, 6½c; geses, 5c. Pigeons, 75c a dozen.

BUTTERINE—We quote: Dairy grades, 11c; medium grades, 12c; high grade, 14½c; 1-pound rolls, bricks and prints, 1c over above prices; 2 and 3-pound rolls, 10 and 30-pound packages, ½c over above prices.

CHEESE—Quiet. New York and Ohio full cream, 12c; Wisconsin fancy, full cream, 10½c; Missouri, Kansas and Iowa, full cream, 12c; Wisconsin fancy, full cream, 10½d; Herkimer, full cream, 12c; Young America full cream, 10½d; 11c.

POTATOES—Held firm and demand fair. The quotations: New, \$3.00 per bushel in a small way. Home grown, 25c per bushel in a small way. Wisconsin and Minnesota Burbanks, 32c in car bulk lots, 49c in a small way. Wisconsin and Minnesota Burbanks, 32c in car bulk lots, 49c in a small way. Colorado Greeley stock, 60c in car lots, 556,70c in a small way. SWEET POTATOES—Dull; unchanged.

Greeley stock, 69c in car lots, 55@70c in a small way,
SWEET POTATOES—Dull; unchanged. We quote: Choice table stock, 25c; poor, 15 (29c; seed, 40%26c per bushel.
GAME—The market is quiet. Plover are mainly poor and thin, 40c a dozen. Frogs, 25cff 1.00 per dozen, according to size.
STRAWBERRIES—Receipts light and market firm. Berries bring almost any price and are quoted nominally. Texas, \$3.00 (27.00 per 24-quart crate, according to quality.

CATTLE SLOW SALE AND WEAK-BUT

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

No Av.Wt. Price, No. Av.Wt. Price,

55. 105. \$ 3.30 | 55. 105. \$ 3.40

59. 200. \$ 3.70 | 58. 219. \$ 3.80

70. 257. \$ 3.85 | 65. 224. \$ 3.90

66. 286. \$ 3.95 | 40. 213. \$ 3.75

70. 203. \$ 3.85 | 77. 256. \$ 3.90

84. 237. \$ 3.95 | 76. 223. \$ 3.85

CUT-OUTS, INSPECTED SOWS AND

STAGS.

2. 400. \$ 2.90 | 2. 255. \$ 2.90

4. 415. \$ 3.00 | 1. 190. \$ 2.90

1. 370. \$ 3.00 | 2. 480. \$ 3.00

SULED-Movements for the next 24 SHEEP-Movements for the past 24 Receipts

22 Colorado spring lambs ... 47 \$7.00 205 New Mexico ewes ... 73 3.50 33 Southwestern ... 83 3.15

oc per bushel. Horseradish, 50675c per bushel. California cauliflower, 2 dozen in crate, 44.00. Canadian rutabagas, le per pound. Salsify, 55c per dozen, 2 dozen for 25c, in a small way. Sage, 15c per dozen bunches. Southern Missouri radishes, 15c a dozen bunches, in a small way. Young onlons, 6610c per dozen bunches. Pie plant, native grown, 20c per dozen bunches in a small way. New spinach, \$1.25 per bushel. Boston cucumbers, \$1.50 per dozen. Dandellons, 25640c per bushel in a small way. Water cress, 25c per dozen bunches in a small way. Hand pleked navy beans, \$1.0061.10 per bushel; Lima beans, 2463%c per pound; \$2.00 per dozen bunches. Leek, 15c dozen. Chives, 30c dozen bunches, Leek, 15c dozen. Chives, 30c dozen bunches, Texas grown flat heans, 68c; green, round, 75c Radish tops, 25640c bushels in a small way. New peas, \$1.75 per bushel box. Texas grown flat heans, 68c; green, round, 75c Radish tops, 25640c bushels in a small way. New peas, \$1.75 per bushel box. Texas grown flat heans, 68c; green, round, 75c Radish tops, 25640c bushels in a small way. New peas, \$1.75 per bushel box. Texas grown flat heans, 68c; green, round, 75c Radish tops, 25640c bushels in a small way. New peas, \$1.75 per bushel box. Texas grown flat heans, 68c; green, round, 75c Radish tops, 25640c bushels in a small way. New peas, \$1.75 per bushel box. Texas grown flat heans, 68c; green, round, 75c Radish tops, 25640c bushels in a small way. New peas, \$1.75 per bushel box. HORSES AND MULES-Movements for

MULES—Mules, 13 to 14 hands, 4 to 7 years, good flesh and hair. 15 00@ 25 00 Mules, 14 to 15 hands, 4 to 7 years, good flesh and hair..... 40 00@ 55 00 Mules, 35 to 1514 hands, 4 to 7 years, good flesh and hair..... 50 00@ 60 06 Mules, 1514 to 16 hands, 4 to 7 Wool, Hides and Pelts.

WOOL—Firm and in fair demand. We quote prices as follows: Missouri and similar—Fine, \$616ccc combing, 10514c; coarse, 12613c. Kansas, Nebraska and Indian Territory—Fine, \$63cc; fine medium, 7610c; medium, \$612c; combing, 10612c; coarse, \$610c. Colorado—Fine, \$630cc; fine medium, 9611cc medium, 10612c; coarse and carpet, \$610c; extra heavy and sandy, 768c. HIDES AND PELTS—Steady and firm. We quote: Green and salted, free of brands, flat, per pound, No. 1, 75c; No. 2, 65c; green salted, side branded, No. 1, 7c; No. 2, 64c; green salted kips, 15 to 25 pounds, No. 1, 8c; No. 2, 7c; green salted calf, 8 to 15 pounds, No. 1, 8c; No. 2, 8c; green, uncured, No. 1, 54c. Sheep pelts, green, 2565c; dry, 44654c per pound.

St. Louis April 17—WOOL—Unchenged. years, good flesh and hair... 60 00@ 75 00 Muses, 16 to 16½ hands, extra good flesh and heir 75 002115 00

The market at this season is always low

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APPLES—Tone of market healthy and demand very fair. The quotations: Choice eating stock out of wagons, 45,650 per bushel; Inferior stock, 200400; cooking, stock, 25,6350; Ben Davis, dull, 40c; Wine Saps, 50,6000c, according to quality; Huntsman's Favorite, 50,6050c per bushel for fancy stock; small supply Baldwins, \$1,50,62,00 per barrel in a small way. Cold storage stock, Winesaps and Huntsman's Favorite, \$2,00,92,50 per barrel; Belleflower, \$2,2562,75 per barrel; gelleflower, \$2,2562,75 per

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LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

South Omaha, April 17.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,700. Market easy. Beeves, \$3.0004.45; cows, stockers and feeders, \$3.0004.45; cows,

\$2.0063.75.
HOGS-Receipts, 3,100. Market strong to 5c higher. Top. \$3,55; bulk. \$3.90.
SHEEP-Receipts, 4,400. Market lower.

St. Louis, April 17.—CATTLE—Receipts,

St. Louis, April II.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200. Market steady. Native beeves, \$3.75@4.60. HOGS—Receipts, 3.200. Market opened higher: closed weak. Top, \$4.15. SHEEP—Receipts, 1.500. Market steady. Chicago, April II.—CATTLE—Receipts, 400. To-day's market was of the usual Saturday character. Receipts were less than 500 head, and were disposed of at unchanged prices. Business has been rather satisfactory most of the week, and prices have developed more strength on that account. HOGS—Receipts, 11.000. The market was alternately weak and strong to-day, the bulk of the hogs selling at yesterday's prices. Heavy packing lots brought 33.75@4.00, and the best went for \$4.1564.39, the bulk of the hogs being choice in quality and selling at \$4.1064.174.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2.000. The sheep market was fairly active at \$3.0032.50 for inferior sheep, at \$4.0094.50 for common to pretty good flocks, and \$4.6065.00 for good to choice, with extra heavy native export sheep scarce and mostly nominal at \$5.1095.35. Lambs were salable at \$3.7565.85, and extra choice around \$5.00.

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1.75 in car lots, and \$1.5002.25 in barrel lots, according to quality.
FRUITS—Lemons, new crop, Sicily, fancy, \$2.500; choice, \$2.5002.75 box. California nativals, fancy, \$2.5002.50 box. California nativals, \$2.5002.50 box. California nativals,

Missouri country.

Northwest for a share of the trade or the section.

The floods south are driving a number of cattle from Louisiana and Lower Arkanges out of the state to new grazing the country of the state to from the cattle from Louisiana and Lower Arkansas out of the state to new grazing grounds. A gentleman just up from the Creek nation says quite a number of cattle of those states are being driven there for grazing and the pastures in that country will be well occupied. Grass is coming on well, though the season is back fully three weeks and the cattle are thin. Know all men by these presents; that E. L. Swazey is not going to build a home this year. He says he is well satisfied with his present quarters, and he begs all carpenters, bricklayers and plumbers to keep away.

Visitors at the Yards With Stock.

J. O. Benton & Son, Onaga, Kas., had in hogs yesterday.

I. N. Reed, Shawnee, O. T., came in with D. A. Vincent & Son, Girard, Kas., had in hogs yesterday.
W. T. Gore, Liberty, Neb., was here yesterday with hogs. terday with hogs.
Litzenburg & King, Waukomis, O. T., had in hogs yesterday.
D. T. Skaggs, Solomon, Kas., was here yesterday with hogs.
T. M. Polson, Red Rock, O. T., came in yesterday with hogs. yesterday with hogs.
George O. Wallace, Cameron, Mo., was in yesterday with hogs.
Weddle, Speckler & Co., Shubert, Neb., had in hogs yesterday.

James Cronin & Fisher, Fiainville, Kas., had in hogs yesterday.

M. Anderman, Jackson county, Mo., was in yesterday with caives.

Elmer Ventungien Union City. O. T. Elmer Vontungien, Union City, O. T., was here yesterday with hogs. St. Louis, April 17.—WOOL—Unchanged Quoted: Clear, 184617c; light fine, 34613c; heavy fine, 74694c; medium, 1246144c; tub washed, 1846234c.

Provisions.

A fairly active and firm market was had yesterday for most hog products. The strength in the grain markets influenced freer trading and a more confident feeling.

We quote car lots:

GREEN MEATS—Shoulders, \$4.5064.75 per cwt.; hams, \$8.068.75.

All She Wanted.

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GREEN MEATS—Shoulders, \$4.50\$4.75 per cwt.; hams, \$8.0068.75.
LARD—Cash, \$4.00; April, \$4.00.
SWEET PICKLED MEATS—Hams, \$5.50
G8.75; shoulders, \$5.0066.25.
DRY SALT MEATS—Shoulders, cash, \$5.0065.25 per cwt.; short rib sides, cash, \$4.50\$4.55; long clear sides, \$4.50\$4.75; short clear sides, \$4.50\$4.85. All She Wanted.

From the Washington Star.

"My dear madam," said the professor of music, "your daughter has no some of melody and no instinct for time. She couldn't play. And she has ne voice, therefore, she cannot expect to sing."

"Well, of course," was the complacent reply, "those facts are drawbacks, but you can go on giving her lessons, just the same. I don't care about her performing or singling, as it would take her away from home, All I want is for her to learn enough to make a comfortable living as a teacher."

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